

Research Activity Panel: Meeting Agenda
California Department of Fish and Game
20 Lower Ragsdale Drive, Monterey CA
Friday October 9, 1998
09:00 - 12:00

Introduction of members and guests (G. Cailliet)

Institution Representatives

Greg Cailliet, Moss Landing Marine Labs- Chair
Rick Starr, U.C. Sea Grant- Vice Chair
Andrew DeVogelaere, MBNMS- RAP Coordinator
Lisa deMarignac, MBNMS- SAC Coordinator

Jane Caffrey/Mark Silberstein, ESNERR and ESF
William Douros, Monterey Bay NMS
Michael Field/Steve Eittreim, USGS
Churchill Grimes/Mary Yoklavich, NOAA/NMFS
Chris Harrold/Randy Kochevar, Monterey Bay Aquarium
Deborah Johnston, CA DFG/ Monterey
Rikk Kvitek/Steve Moore, CSUMB
Patricia Port, Department of the Interior
Giacomo Bernardi/Dan Costa, UCSC
Dennis Powers/Jennifer Nielsen, Hopkins Marine Station
David Clague, MBARI
Jan Roletto, GFNMS/CBNMS
Leslie Rosenfeld/Jeff Paduan, Naval Postgraduate School
Mark Stephenson, CDFG/Mar. Pollution Studies Lab
Geoff Wheat, NOAA/NURP
Karen Worcester, Morro Bay Foundation

At-Large

Jim Harvey, Moss Landing Marine Labs
Caroline Pomeroy, UCSC/CSUMB
Les Strnad, CA Coastal Commission

Special Advisors

Jim Rote, CSUMB
Gary Sharp, CIRIOS

CONSENT ITEMS:

Modifications to the agenda (G. Cailliet)

PRESENTATIONS

Institutional Update: CDFG Marine Division reorganization (Rob Collins)

Studies at the Big Creek Marine Ecological Reserve (Dave Ventresca)

The live fish fishery: what we know and where to go (Greg Cailliet)

BREAK

DISCUSSION

Criteria for "no dumping" sites regarding Big Sur highway repair (Andrew De Vogelaere)

Sanctuary Currents: planning '98 (Bruce Richmond/Andrew De Vogelaere)

SHORT INFORMATION ITEMS

Verbal items:

Summary of the October SAC meeting (Greg Cailliet)

Update on Sustainable Seas Expeditions (A. De Vogelaere)

Legislation update (Caroline Pomeroy)

Update on PEARL (Gary Sharp)

Written items (no discussion unless there are questions):

Collaboration between NMFS and MBNMS (Andrew De Vogelaere)

Through a collaborative effort with NMFS, Dr. Karin Forney will be spending 1/3 time with the MBNMS in research program. She is a scientist from the Southwest Fisheries Science Center in LaJolla, and will be working with us on a range of projects: causes of distribution and abundance of harbor porpoise, gill net fishing by-catch of harbor porpoise and Common Murre, and distribution maps of sea otters in offshore regions. We're looking forward to see Karin around our office for at least a year.

National Research Coordinators meeting (Andrew De Vogelaere)

NMS Research Coordinators met in Monterey on October 7 and 8. This is the first national meeting.

New Intern (Andrew De Vogelaere)

Welcome to our new research intern, Jason Giffen. He is from the Monterey Institute for International Studies.

Future Agenda (Greg Cailliet)

Don't hesitate to forward agenda topics, speaker suggestions, and written items to G. Cailliet or A. De Vogelaere for future meetings.

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